BRIDGING PROGRAMS

DOMESTIC ADMISSIONS INFORMATION SHEET

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to all undergraduate programs at UQ applicants must meet two basic entry requirements:

1. Eligibility (i.e. satisfy the subject prerequisites and other requirements)
2. Merit (i.e. possess an entry rank high enough for a place in the program)

Entry ranks range from 1 to 99 (maximum). As admission is competitive the entry rank cut-offs for programs can fluctuate from year to year.

For detailed program information, including prerequisite requirements and entry rank cut-offs from previous admission periods, please refer to http://future-students.uq.edu.au.

APPROVED BRIDGING STUDIES

Bridging programs equip students with the appropriate level of knowledge in the subject areas deemed necessary to undertake tertiary study successfully. UQ accepts the following bridging studies, if passed, to meet the listed subject prerequisites for entry to all undergraduate programs:

CERTIFICATE IV IN ADULT TERTIARY PREPARATION

Preparatory studies designed for adult learners. Subjects are studied on-campus and are generally conducted over a 12-month period.

- Language and Learning—2 units (English)
- Mathematics – 2 units (Maths A)
- Pure Mathematics – 3 units (Maths B)
- Biology – 2 units (Biology)
- Chemistry – 3 units (Chemistry)
- Physics—3 units (Physics)

Minimum grade required: Grade of Pass, JP or J1.
Maximum entry rank attainable: 91 (combination with Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT), max entry rank = 98)

Contact: TAFE Queensland
Phone: 1300 308 233
Website: www.tafe.qld.gov.au

Contact: Hubbard's School (private provider offering standard and intensive course offerings)
Phone: 07 3371 5999
Website: www.hubbards.qld.edu.au

UQ COLLEGE TERTIARY PREPARATION PROGRAM

A 28 week program commencing in January, May and September each year designed to equip adult learners with the necessary academic skills to engage in successful tertiary study. UQ College also deliver intensive four week courses in Mathematics, Chemistry and Biology in November/December.

- Academic English for University Studies (English)
- Pre-University Biology (Biology)
- Pre-University Chemistry (Chemistry)
- Pre-University Mathematics A (Maths A)
- Pre-University Mathematics B (Maths B)

Minimum grade required: Grade of 4
Maximum entry rank attainable: 88 (completion of all 5 units; completion of 2, 3 or 4 units can derive an entry rank but less generous)

Contact: UQ College
Phone: 07 3346 8222
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Website: www.uqcollege.edu.au
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UNILEARN

Self-paced distance education modules based on Year 12 level subjects.

- Introductory Mathematics (Maths A)
- Senior Mathematics (Maths B)
- Biology (Biology)
- Chemistry (Chemistry)
- Physics (Physics)

Minimum grade required: Grade of Pass.

Contact: Learning Network Queensland (delivered through Open Universities Australia)
Phone: 07 3244 5304
Website: www.unilearn.net.au

QUT BRIDGING COURSES

Subjects are offered in Semester 1, 2 and 3 with some external study options available.

- Maths B Bridging (Maths B)
- Chemistry Bridging Course (Chemistry)

Minimum grade required: Grade of 4.

Contact: QUT Continuing Professional Education
Phone: 07 3138 5268
Email: cpe@qut.edu.au
Website: www.qut.edu.au/continuing-professional-education

USQ TERTIARY PREPARATION PROGRAM

Bridging studies offered on an external basis commencing in Semester 1, 2 and 3.

- Studying to Succeed (English)
- Mathematics Tertiary Preparation 1 – TPP7181 (Maths A)
- Mathematics Tertiary Preparation 2 & 3 – TPP7182 + TPP7183 (both required to meet Maths B)
  Preparatory Physics (Physics) *students can only enrol in a science after completion of the English and a Maths subject in their first semester.

Minimum grade required: Grade of Pass (or 4).

Maximum entry rank attainable: 88 (completion of 6 units)

Contact: USQ
Phone: 1800 269 500
Email: study@usq.edu.au
Website: www.usq.edu.au

Other bridging studies may be acceptable. Please contact UQ Domestic Admissions for details.

SENIOR EXTERNAL EXAMINATIONS

The Senior External Examinations are a set of subject examinations administered by the Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority (QCAA). Assessment of achievement in a subject is based solely on demonstrated achievement in the final examination. Each subject examination is held annually, with year-long preparation studies offered by approved institutions, such as Centres for Continuing Secondary Education (CCSEs) and Secondary Colleges.

- English
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Physics
- Mathematics A
- Mathematics B

Minimum grade required: Grade of Sound Achievement.

Maximum entry rank attainable: 99 (lower ranks attainable with 2-4 subjects)

Contact: QCAA
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Website: www.qcaa.qld.edu.au

For international enquiries please contact UQ International Admissions on 1800 671 980 or study@uq.edu.au